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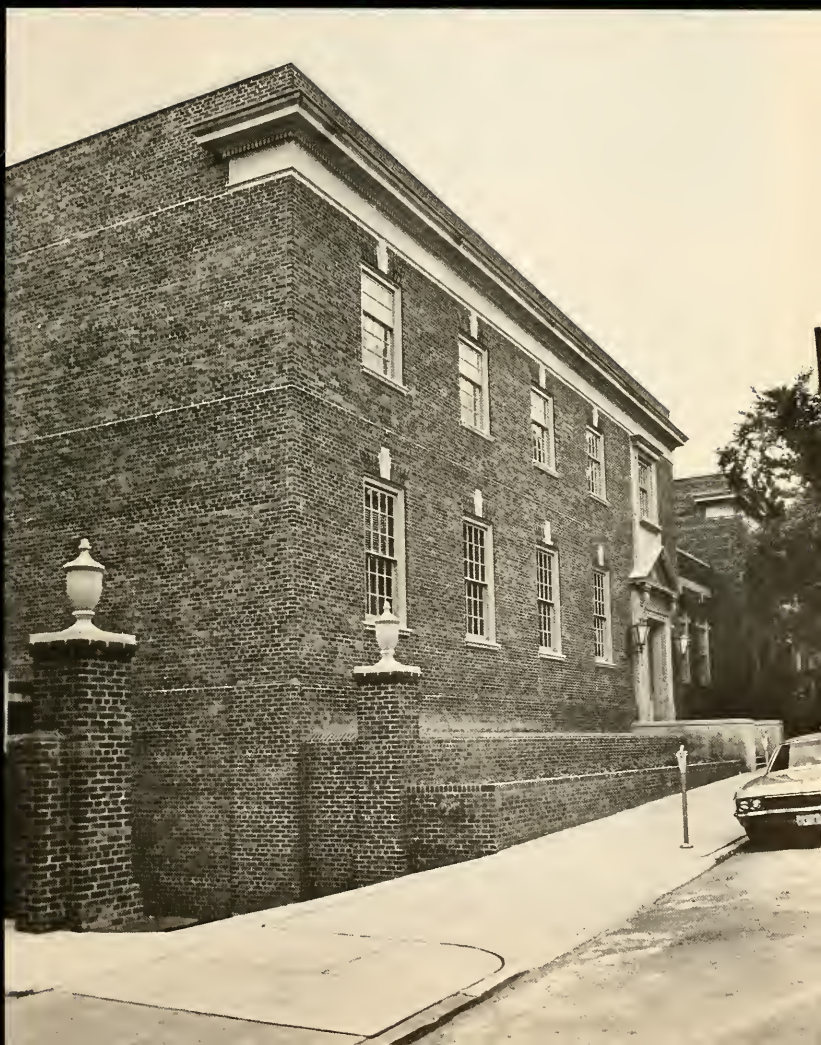

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Reunion, '73

June 1 – oh what a beautiful day. The sun shined brightly on the alumni as they came by the Alumni House on their way to the Scientific Assemblies. Reunion, '73, had finally arrived. How nice it always is to see old friends and to make new acquaintances.

Medical scientific assembly.

The Scientific Assembly for medicine was put on by former members of the housestaff of W. T. Thompson, M '38, retiring chairman of the department of medicine.

The nurses in their pretty summer dresses listened with much interest to the speakers.

Nursing scientific assembly.

Miss Elizabeth K. Ryan receives the Outstanding Nurse Award from Mrs. Virginia G. Wessels.

The Nursing Section of the Alumni Association of the Medical College of Virginia climaxed their meeting with the presentation of the Outstanding Nurse Award to Elizabeth K. Ryan (N'30). Mrs. Virginia G. Wessells in the presentatian said:

"She has functioned in positions of leadership continuously from graduation until retirement. She has held administrative, teaching and clinical nurse specialist positions in a variety of institutians with twenty years of service to the Medical College of Virginia alone. We believe that she holds the distinction of being the first nurse in Virginia to merit the title of 'Clinical Nurse Specialist in Rehabilitation Nursing' . . .

"She has served the Alumni Association of the Medical College of Virginia with distinction as vice president and member of the Board af Trustees. She has performed services too numerous to mention over many years for this Nursing Section including two terms as chairman, member of the Board of Directors and chairman of the Bazaar Committee, pramoter of the Nursing Lectureship Fund, and a variety of service committees.

"She retired in 1970 as assistant professor of nursing in the School of Nursing, Medical College of Virginia. Her position upon retirement was assistant in the Continuing Education Program." . . .

Friday—open house.

The alumni all enjoyed the luncheon given by the Alumni Association of MCV.

The lunchean.

Dr. Earle W. Strickland, president of the Alumni Association, presided at the luncheon and welcomed the alumni back to alma mater.

Dr. M. Pinson Neal, Jr., Dr. Lauren A. Woods, Dr. Warren W. Brandt, and Dr. Earle W. Strickland at the luncheon.

The Past President's Club entertained the fifty-year graduates at a reception on Friday evening.

The hosts for the past presidents reception: standing, Dr. Custis L. Coleman and Dr. W. C. Henderson. Seated: Dr. Waverly R. Payne, Dr. John M. Hughes, and Mr. R. Reginald Rooke.

Seated: Dr. G. Guy Overholt, Dr. Waverly R. Payne, Mrs. Edna N. Hooker, Mrs. Winifred W. Jewett, and Dr. Haile V. Fitzgerald. Standing: Dr. George E. Glass, Dr. E. Macauley Babb, Mr. Sterling P. Dutton, and Mr. Doyle S. Williams.

Friday evening, the class parties, the very best part of reunion, were held. No rigmarole is necessary to tell you how successful they were - just turn the pages.

Dining at the attractive apartment of Mrs. Edna N. Hooker were the nursing graduates of 1923. Their evening was spiced with fond memories of the past. Left to right: Mesdames Edna Nesbit Hooker, Maye Boatwright Sherrod, Mary Hawkins Oliver, Winifred Walker Jewett, and Viola Ellis Sherrod.

To the Class of '23, Medicine, and the Class of '23, Dentistry, we owe our most humble apologies, the photographers arrived too late at the parties to get pictures.

The Class of 1923, Medicine, was entertained at the home of Dr. Wyatt S. Beazley, Jr.'s, son, Dr. Wyatt S. Beazley III. From all accounts, it was a lovely party and attending were: Dr. and Mrs. Beazley, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. E. Macaulay Babb, Dr. William P. Bittinger, Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin E. Glass, and Dr. and Mrs. Waverly R. Payne.

The Class of 1923, Dentistry, dined at the Top of the Towers and then went over to the apartment of Dr. Harry Lyons for cordials to round out the evening of reminiscing. Doctor Lyons brought his annual to the party and said they all enjoyed looking back at their pictures fifty years ago. Present at this enjoyable affair were Dr. and Mrs. J. Jac Bangel, Dr. and Mrs. Job Oscar Belcher, Dr. and Mrs. Haile V. Fitzgerald, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Lyons, Dr. and Mrs. G. Guy Overholt, and Dr. Clyde B. Reese.

The Pharmacy class of 1923 had the largest group back for their 50-year party which was held at Byram's Restaurant, where they had a wonderful time. Seated, left to right: Mesdames Sterling P. Dutton, Doyle S. Williams, Joseph W. Chamblee, Elizabeth Workman Madsen, Yetta Brown Lowenstein, W. Ralston Lecky, and Elbert R. Rush. Standing, left to right: Messrs. Dutton, Williams, Chamblee, Maxwell Zedd, Lowenstein, Lecky, and Rush.

Those happy perennials, the Class of 1926, Medicine, met again this year at the Commonwealth Club for another joyous reunion. Seated, left to right: Mrs. Richard A. Bowen II, Dr. J. Philip Jones, Jr., Mrs. Jones, Dr. Bowen, Mrs. Webster P. Barnes, Dr. Lewis C. Lush, and Mrs. Lush. Standing, left to right: Drs. Bruce L. Randolph and Henry L. Townsend, Mesdames Townsend and Thomas B. Gordon, Dr. and Mrs. J. Berkeley Gordon, Mrs. Guy C. Amory, Dr. Amory, Mrs. William R. Morton, and Dr. Barnes.

The Class of Medicine, '28, made it to their 45th at the Bull and Bear and now are already looking forward to their 47th in 1975. Seated, left to right: Drs. Raymond L. Claterbaugh, Asher L. Baker, and Antonio G. Gandia. Standing, left to right: Drs. Reuben F. Simms, Joseph J. Hornisher, William N. Thompson, James A. Soyars, W. C. Elliott, Garrett Dalton, and J. R. St. George. Back row, left to right: Drs. A. C. Echols, G. Hunter Wolfe, and Claude L. Neale.

What a fun night for the Pharmacy Class of 1933 at the Willow Oaks Country Club. Present for the festivities were: Front row, left to right: Mesdames D. Coleman Booker, Ralph Carino, J. Gilbert Ball, Allen N. Fore, J. Robert Ponton, and G. L. E. Edmiston. Back row, left to right: Dr. Booker, Messrs. Carino, Ball, Fore, Ponton, and Edmiston.

At that fine old hostelry, The Jefferson, back in force for their 40th were the groduates of medicine, '33 for a fine night. Front row, left to right: Drs. R. B. Nutter, Jr., Channing Glenn, George F. Salle, Joseph A. Robinson, B. C. Grigsby, and Mrs. Grigsby. Second row, left to right: Mesdames Nutter and Glenn, Dr. Joseph F. Phillips, Mrs. Phillips, Dr. Samuel F. Driver, and Mrs. Driver. Third row, left to right: Mrs. Samuel H. Justa, Dr. Upshur Higginbotham, Mrs. Higginbotham, Drs. James T. Green, Jr., W. H. Aufranc, David S. Garner, and Carroll B. Robertson. Last rows, left to right: Drs. Justa and Edgar W. Childrey, Jr., Mrs. J. Spencer Dryden, Dr. Glenn Gray Perry, Mrs. Perry, Dr. Dryden, Mesdames J. Bernard Jones and Ernest P. Buxton, Jr., Drs. Jones, E. W. Perkins III, Buxton, and Mary E. Johnston (hidden), Mrs. Green, Dr. Hight C. Warwick, Mrs. W. R. Bishop, Dr. Bishop, and Mrs. Robertson.

"The Nursing Class of '33 had their 40th reunion. We were pleased to have so many back and to have their husbands present. The cocktail-dinner party on Friday night at the John Marshall Patrick Henry room was very enjoyable for all." First row, seated, left to right: Mesdames Mary Carlton Coleman, Louise Schneider Chaffin, Alice Lacy McKenzie, Mary Skinner Bloxom, Nellie Renick Hiner, and Mr. Hiner. Standing, left to right: Mr. Rodgers, Mrs. Helen Myers Rodgers, Dr. W. Nash McKenzie, Mesdames Mary Vaughan Benn and Thomasine Nesbit Wood, Mr. Bloxom, Mesdames Isabelle Walker Galbraith, Garnet Kiser Anderson, and Italy DePietro Nelson, and Mr. Nelson.

The Class of Dentistry, '38, met in the Lee Room, Hotel John Marshall, to celebrate their 35th reunion. Those who got back were: Seated, left to right: Dr. William H. Traynham, Jr., Mesdames Traynham, Anthony M. DeMuth, S. V. Allen, Jr., and Mr. Allen (son and daughter-in-law of Dr. and Mrs. Allen). Standing, left to right: Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Beazlie (daughter and son-in-law of Dr. and Mrs. Traynham), Dr. DeMuth, Mrs. Apollon G. Orphanidys, Dr. Orphanidys, Mrs. Mark Milton Neale, Drs. Neale, Ernest L. Bayton, Jr., and Sidney V. Allen.

The Executive Motel was the place, the Class of '38, Medicine, the celebrants. A good party, a good time was had by all. Front row (on ground level) left to right: Dr. John T. Jarrett, Mrs. Jarrett, Dr. Edward E. Haddock, Mesdames Haddock and B. B. Bagby, Jr., Drs. Bagby, Sidney Grey Page, Jr., M. Jane Page, and Earle B. Morgan, Mrs. Morgan, Dr. George R. Rosenbaum, Mesdames Rosenbaum and E. Lynwood Bagby, Drs. Bagby and H. Joseph Williams, Mrs. Williams, Dr. Ralph B. Blowe, Mesdames Blowe, William P. Terry, Norman E. King, and John F. Morris, Drs. King and Morris, Mesdames C. Rodriguez and William H. Copley, and Drs. Rodriguez and Copley. On the stairs, left to right: Mesdames Carl S. Lingamfelter, Jr., and Jacob C. Huffman, Drs. Huffman, W. T. Thompson, Jr., Charles F. James, Jr., Mrs. Thompson, Dr. George S. Fultz, Jr., Mrs. Fultz, Dr. Paul C. Soulsby, Mesdames Soulsby and Stanley John Fink, Drs. Earl S. Scott, Fink, Annie Louise Wilkerson, and Albert J. Russo, Mesdames Russo and Gilman R. Tyler, Dr. Tyler, Mrs. William H. McCall, Drs. McCall and Terry, Mrs. Woodrow W. Scott, and Dr. Scott. Present but not in picture: Dr. William Hart Woodson and Roseann Robinson.

The pharmacists from '38 had a good time at the Salisbury Country Club—"Wonderful bunch"—. Pictured left to right: Mr. William W. Johnson, Mrs. Pearl E. Martin, Messrs. A. Ralph Martin, and Oakley O. Vaughan, Dr. Nancy B. King, Messrs. Stanley H. Jewell, J. Frank Hollenbeck, and Herald L. Edds.

Messrs. W. W. Gray and A. Ralph Martin.

Messrs. Herald L. Edds and J. Frank Hollenbeck.

This gala group has to be dentists because they are all showing their pearly whites at the Country Club of Virginia. The Classes of 1943 March and December Dentistry: seated, left to right: Mesdames Jack Garian, Lonnie O. Clark, Jr., Claude A. Harper, Herbert L. Moore, Anthony Kell, Everett W. Baker, George Poole Killinger, Morris Robinson, and John J. Cortopassi. Standing, left to right: Drs. Garian, Clark, Harper, Moore, Kell, Baker, Killinger, Paul Fitzgerald, Jr., Cortopassi, J. Henry Ligon, Jr., and Robinson. The photographer arrived very late and also present, but not pictured were: Dr. and Mrs. Warner J. Ball, Dr. and Mrs. Wesley A. Boatwright, Dr. and Mrs. Millard P. Doyle, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. James L. Parker, and Dr. and Mrs. S. Cecil Patteson from the March class. From the December group: Dr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Fitzgerald, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Lott, Dr. and Mrs. Howard S. Rhyne, and Dr. and Mrs. Earle W. Strickland. The honored guests were three professors and their wives who had taught the group: Dr. and Mrs. O. Wendell Clough, Dr. and Mrs. Richard L. Simpson, and Dr. and Mrs. Phillip Modjeski.

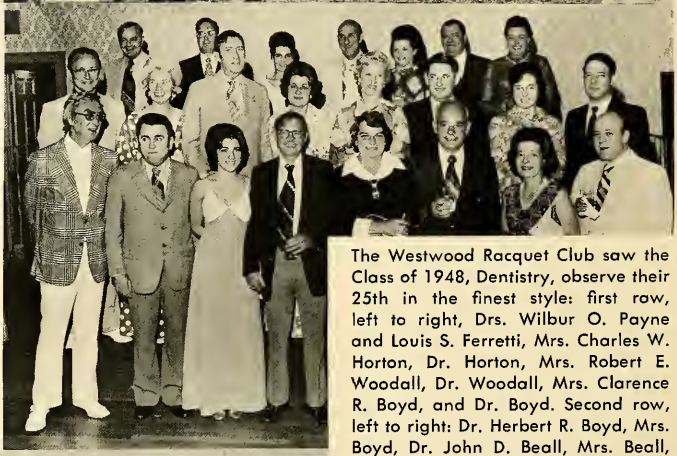
The Bull and Bear was the scene for the reunion of the Class of Medicine of 1943 March. Back for the great event were: Back row, down the steps: Drs. C. Harper Ward, Charles W. Byrd, John S. Shaffer, Leroy S. Safian, and William J. Hagood, Jr. Second row, down the steps: Drs. Charles R. Riley, Custis L. Coleman, Stuart H. Catron, Jr., Robert E. Carr, and Andrew M. Lang. Front row, left to right: Dr. H. R. Vial, Mrs. Shaffer, Dr. Melvin B. Lamberth, Jr., Mesdames Riley, Byrd, Lamberth, Hagood, Vial, Ward, and Catron. On the floor: Mesdames Coleman and Lang.

The Classes of Pharmacy, 1943, March and December, joined forces for a night on the town, cocktails, dinner, and theater at the 3200 Club. Seated, left to right: Mesdames Jean Webber Payne, Camilla Jeffries Patton, Walter M. Allen, David Kafka, James R. Lewis, Robert H. Gardiner, Jr., Milton Early, and Floyd A. Robertson, Jr. Standing, left to right: Messrs. Payne, Patton, Allen, Kafka, Lewis, Gardiner, Early, and Robertson.

On June 1, 1973, the thirtieth reunion of the Class of Medicine, 1943, December, was held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Virgil R. May, Jr. with the Mays as the gracious hosts. Pictures first row, left to right: Dr. G. Watson James III, Mesdames Virgil R. May, Jr., Howard E. Baldini and Dr. Shirley Martin Howard. Second row, left to right: Drs. John S. Archer, Jr. and Wayne C. Campbell, Mrs. Archer, Drs. May, Frank A. Wade, and F. Ashton Carmines, Mesdames Charles P. Ford, Jr., and Carmines. Third row, left to right: Dr. Thomas V. Goode, Jr., Mesdames Goode and Richard A. Bagby, Dr. Bagby, Mrs. Campbell, Dr. Mark B. Williams, Mesdames Williams and Robert A. Hoffman, Dr. Hoffman, Mrs. Wade, Dr. Walter Frank Daughtrey, Jr., Mrs. John H. Sproles, Drs. Sproles and Ford, and Mrs. Frank F. Merker. Back row, left to right: Mrs. William R. Kay, Drs. Kay, Robert Howard, and Baldini, Mrs. Daughtrey, Dr. James Cofer Gale, Mrs. Gale, and Dr. Merker. Present but not in picture: Dr. and Mrs. W. James Baggs, Dr. and Mrs. Frank R. Kelly, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Mills, Dr. Warren L. Moorman, Dr. and Mrs. John M. Ratliff, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. Bill Ballard Richmond, Dr. and Mrs. Robert P. Trice, Dr. and Mrs. William H. Cox, and Dr. and Mrs. Quenton J. Legg.

"The Class of 1943, Nursing, had a delightful evening of cocktails, dinner, and lots of reminiscing at the Rotunda Club." Pictured, left to right: Mesdames Anne Hunt Wright and Nancy Kimbrough Beckwith, Miss Susan C. Lewis, Mesdames Estelle Smith Sheldon, Evelyn Fike Laupus, Alice Burford Booth, Edna Garrison Bays, Margaret Brogan Gruner, Kate Robinson Kaempf, and Virginia Shores Burton, Miss Dorsye Russell, and Mrs. Ruby Barlowe Johnson. Present but not in the picture, Mrs. Ashley Hannah Montgomery.

On the bank of the James at Dr. and Mrs. Henry Bullock's place, the Class of '48 Medicine, had their class reunion party which was delightful. First row, left to right: Drs. W. Robert Irby, Arthur G. Meakin, Robert P. Ailsworth, Jr., John N. Gordon, Wilbur F. Amonette, William M. Law, Nancy P. Law, John A. Moore, Michael J. Moore, and Guy J. Barrow. Second row, left to right: Mesdames Irby, Meakin, Ailsworth, John Gordon, and Amonette. Third row, left to right: Dr. Henry P. Royster, Colonel Williams, Dr. Ann Hardy Williams, Mrs. C. T. Daniel, Jr., Drs. Daniel, Natalie I. Lum, and C. Daniel Jordan, Mesdames John Moore and Michael Moore, and Dr. and Mrs. Conley L. Edwards, Jr. Fourth row, left to right: Mrs. Barrow, Dr. Royster, Mrs. C. P. E. Burgwyn, Drs. Byrgwyn and S. Ben Judy, guest of Dr. Judy, Drs. Avis Branch Adams and James B. Adams, George F. Elsasser, Jr., Lucien W. Roberts, Jr., guest of Dr. T. Stacy Lloyd, Drs. Lloyd and Charles K. Guttas. Top row, left to right: Dr. William A. Niermann, Mrs. Charles L. Williams, Dr. Williams, Mrs. Richard Q. Penick, Dr. and Mrs. William B. Looney (hidden), Dr. Doris A. Berlin, husband of Dr. Berlin, Mrs. Henry A. Bullock, Dr. John L. Whaley and Dr. Bullock, the host, (hidden), Mrs. Whaley, Drs. Penick, John J. Kelly III, and Robert W. Bedinger, Mesdames Kelly and Bedinger, Dr. McChesney Goodall, Mesdames Roberts and Rufus S. Gardner, Jr., Dr. Gardner, Mrs. Irvin W. Cavedo, Jr., Dr. Cavedo, and Mrs. Guttas.



The Westwood Racquet Club saw the Class of 1948, Dentistry, observe their 25th in the finest style: first row, left to right, Drs. Wilbur O. Payne and Louis S. Ferretti, Mrs. Charles W. Horton, Dr. Horton, Mrs. Robert E. Woodall, Dr. Woodall, Mrs. Clarence R. Boyd, and Dr. Boyd. Second row, left to right: Dr. Herbert R. Boyd, Mrs. Boyd, Dr. John D. Beall, Mrs. Beall, Mrs. E. Todd Clark, Dr. Clark, Mrs. Raymond G. McGehee, Jr., and Dr. McGehee. Third row, left to right: Drs. M. O. Dailey and Lonnie B. Dickens, Jr., Mrs. Dickens, Dr. E. Stuart Benson, Mrs. Shirley Thompson, Dr. William H. Fitzgerald, and Mrs. Fitzgerald.

Also, '48, Dentistry, first row, left to right: Dr. Irving J. Imburg, Mrs. Imburg, Dr. W. Penn Marshall, Jr., Mrs. Marshall, Dr. Herbert L. Schwartz, Mrs. W. Harrell Johnson, and Dr. Johnson. Top row, left to right: Dr. John R. Wheless, Mesdames Wheless, and Sanford L. Lefcoe, Drs. Lefcoe and Adolpheus G. White, Mrs. Nathan B. Evens, and Drs. Evens and Robert Maurice Comstack.

The Class of Nursing, '48, on the lawn of Fox Head Inn before dinner and looking ahead to a pleasant get-together. Seated, left to right: Mesdames Mary Sue Taylor Krimm, Myra Cannon Richardson, Lela Holden Shotwell, Martha Chavis Arbin, Emajean Hughes Davis, Marian Karr McClaren, and Charlotte Hall Young. Standing, left to right: Mesdames Louaunna Shumate Byrd, Madeline Hutchinson Snead, Audrey Greene Sanders, Tinnie Bigger Conover, Cornelia Gibbs Fields, Rachel Buchanan Lindsey, Louise Putney Belfield, Lorraine Dempsey Shaw, Helen Reese Ferguson, Claudine Buchanan Jordan, Barbara Howard Brock, Virginia McAuliffe Edwards, Laura LaFontaine White, and Anna Rathje Fitts.

Two of the class of '48 pharmacy and their wives met at the 3200 Club for their reunion. "Where were the rest?" Pictured, left to right: Mr. Lewis C. Smith, Jr., Mesdames Smith and Joseph Y. Thomas, and Mr. Thomas.

The gracious old Commonwealth Club was the place for the party for the Class of Medicine, 1953, where a delicious dinner plus the friendship made it the tops. Front row, left to right: Drs. Alvin E. Conner, Thomas P. Stratford, and William B. Tarry, Jr. Second row, left to right: Drs. V. Eric Kemp, Jr., Harold W. Kimmerling, Joseph E. Gardner, Robert M. McDonald, Baxter H. Byerly, P. Paul Deaton, Walter J. Stanford, William G. Way, and Allan L. Forbes. Back row, left to right: Drs. John Rebman III, Frederick T. Given, Jr., John William Watson, Arthur McK. Reynolds, Jr., Harry I. Johnson, Jr., Wesley C. Bernhart, E. Claiborne Irby, Herman W. Brubaker, Charles P. Harwood, Raymond C. Hooker, Jr., Norman Clyde Ratliffe, William P. Fletcher, Moir G. Martin, Warren Hagood, Henry S. Spencer, William N. Gee, Jr., George L. Wilkinson, Simeon H. Adams, Robert O. Hudgens, Ernest C. Herrman, and Ota T. Graham, Jr.

The famous staircase of the Hotel Jefferson was the background far the handsome group from the Class of '53, Dentistry, and what a happy time they had together. First row, left to right: Mesdames Clifton E. Crandell, Robert T. Edwards, Luke Pillis, John W. Atkins, and John H. Quinley. Second row, left to right: Drs. Crandell, Edwards, Pillis, Atkins, Quinley, and Mrs. M. M. Hutchison. Third row, left to right: Mesdames Robert M. Wellons, William L. Major, Henry P. Lamb, Jr., Paul Burbank, Jr., James D. Reasor, and Dr. Hutchison. Fourth row, left to right: Drs. Wellons, Major, Lamb, Burbank, and Mrs. Keithen D. Poe. Fifth row, left to right: Dr. Clyde E. Godbold, Mrs. B. Edmond Kanoy, and Drs. Reasar and Robert H. Mahanes, Jr. Sixth raw, left to right: Dr. John L. Lilly, Mrs. Lilly, Dr. Kanoy, Miss Donna Kenny (guest of Dr. Dorman W. Fawley, Jr.), and Dr. Poe. Seventh row, left to right: Miss Sharon Dirks (guest of Dr. William M. Callaham), Mrs. Jack W. Julian, Dr. Fawley, and Dr. and Mrs. Richard C. Fisher, Jr. Back row, left to right: Drs. Callaham, Julian, and William A. McClellan.

Down in the basement of new Cabaniss Hall, the nurses from the Class of 1953 met. They felt particularly honored to have Miss Sybil MacLean, former dean of nursing, as their guest as well as Dr. Myra Williams. The party went on into the night as many of the girls stayed overnight in the dorm. Front row, left to right: Mesdames Mary Dail Hudson, June Poteat Gwynn, and Gay Hardy Boswell, Dr. Myra Williams, Miss Sybil MacLean, Mesdames Joyce Hughes Gillespie, Patricia White Faster, and Elsie Solonka Smith. Standing, left to right: Mesdames Eleanar Leach Gauldin, Shirley Berry Warinner, Anne Carneal Reynolds, Betty Wilkerson, Anne Watts Hubbard, Catherine Skillman Peyton, Alice Lambert Smith, Anna Cobb Barefoot, Dorothea Hall Patrick, Maxine Kanode Bice, Martha Williams Tartal, Frances Frizzell Jackson, and Florence Hayes Riner.

"Men or Moose?" No question 'bout that. This is the Pharmacy Class of '53 who partied in the Chalet Room of the Bull and Bear. Kneeling, left to right: Messrs. Robert S. Jones, Norman L. Hilliard, Reuben B. Young, Jr., Robert W. Clyburn, and Fred J. Sarver. Standing against wall, left to right: Messrs. Beverley F. Carson and Edgar E. Crockett, Mrs. Barbara Peacock Plunkett, Dean Warren E. Weaver, Dr. Fay I. Carr, Jr., Mr. James M. Thrower, Dr. Walter F. Green III, and Mr. James V. Morgan. Standing around fireplace, left to right: Messrs. Milton E. Cornblatt, Shelby Blaine Sturgill, Averette P. Myers, Austin W. Farley, and Brantley M. Jefferson, Drs. Everett C. Lyon, Jr., and Frederick Rahal, Mr. James F. Poole, Dr. Harry G. Plunkett, Jr., Mr. Irving E. Darby, Jr., and Raymond C. McFarlane. Present but not pictured: Mr. Gerald A. Maxey, Dr. James A. Selph, Jr., and Mr. Alan B. Pearson.

"The Class of Medicine, '58, held their reunion at the Briar Wood Swim and Racquet Club. The receding hairlines and thickening waistlines did nothing to dampen any spirits but we did miss the absent members." Seated, in foreground: Dr. John William Dickerson. At table, left to right: Mrs. Charles Oscar Watlington, Dr. Watlington, Dr. and Mrs. James P. Baker, Dr. and Mrs. J. McDermott Barnes, Dr. James L. Ferrell, Mrs. James R. Darden, Jr., Dr. Darden, and Mrs. Ferrell. Standing, left to right: Dr. J. Thomas Bones, Mesdames Bones and K. Arnold Gill, Jr., Drs. Gill, Winifred O. Ward, and Arnold F. Strother, Mesdames Ward and Strother, Dr. Louis B. Massad, Mesdames Massad and Alfred B. Cramer III, Mr. Richard Batman, Dr. Robert W. Fry, Mr. Russ Edmundsun, Mrs. Fry, Drs. Louisa S. Batman, Vivian M. Wilkerson, and Marvin L. Weger, Mesdames Harry F. Hoke, Jr., Weger, and Gladstone E. Smith, Jr., Drs. Albert A. Fratrick, Robert E. Collins, and Smith, Mesdames Fratrick, Collins, and E. Marvin Sokol, Dr. Sokol, Mrs. John W. Cline, and Drs. Cline and Hoke. Present but not in picture, Dr. A. B. Cramer.

The Class of Dentistry, 1958, held its 15th reunion at Willow Oaks Country Club and you'd better believe it was a huge success. Front row, left to right: Drs. Ronald D. Shocket, Arnold M. Hoffman, Robert M. Lawrence, Jr., E. Eugene Rorrer, William I. Snead, John I. Bowman, Jr., Grayson G. Fitzgerald, Gordon A. Hearne, Brownie E. Polly, Jr., and Zed J. Wampler, Jr. Second row, left to right: Drs. Howard A. Woolwine, Robert L. McClanahan, Jr., William F. Bryson, Ralph R. Futterman, Marvin F. West, George R. McGuire, James A. Boyd, Jesse Robert Cole, Jr., Robert S. Barlowe, and Bennett A. Malbon. Third row, left to right: Drs. Theodore S. Savvas and Philip P. Wilson.

"The Class of '58, Pharmacy, had a lively get-together at Willow Oaks Country Club with cocktails and dinner." Pictured, left to right: Dr. David A. White, Mr. William C. Crites, Mesdames Crites, Edmund C. Glover III, and William R. Crenshaw, Messrs. Glover, Crenshaw, and B. L. Hudson, Mesdames Hudson, Edward M. Durand, and Ben W. Longest, Jr., Messrs. Longest, Durand, and Keith S. Bonney, Miss Annie Leeper, Mesdames Bonney and White, Messrs. Franklin A. Robertson and Richard B. Rice, Miss Patricia Firebaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Cifelli, Mr. Harry Shaia, Jr., Mesdames Margaret Gibrall Shaia and Charlotte Yates Harris, Mr. and Mrs. James C. McArdle, and Mr. and Mrs. Cary H. Tanner.

"The 2300 Club was the site of the 15th reunion for the Class of '58, Nursing. It was a delightful evening of reminiscing, discussing the present, and anticipating the future. Beginning plans were made for future gatherings." Seated, left to right: Mesdames Mary Jo Utt McNeer, Beverly Beaver McNeer, Nancy Kashner Durrett, Shirley Hartmann O'Dell, Julia Weller Hylton, Betty Jo Richardson Lau, Jean Moye Shepard, Clementine Sadler Pollok, Beauty Denby Crummette, Martha Wayland Janes, and Diane Diedrich Myers. Standing, left to right: Dr. H. Hylton, Mr. W. Pollok, Dr. G. Shepard, and Mr. J. Durrett.

Joining together to celebrate their 10th, the class of pharmacy had a marvelous time at the Sheraton Motor Inn. Seated, left to right: Mesdames Patricia Pope Phillippi, Louise Whitehead McCuiston, R. Lynch Whitehead Anderson, Virginia Nuara Hudert, Jean Walters Moss, Joan Berry Hager, Carole Layne Hagaman, Shelia Katz Derman, Susan Early Adams, and Jane McAllister Jones. Second row, left to right: Mr. George B. Holzbach, Jr., Mrs. Alice Graham Glenn, Mr. Michael R. Beahm, Mrs. Marianne Revene Rollings, Messrs. Joseph B. Schwartz, Jackson T. Ward, Adron D. Moore, and Howard O. Wachsmann, Miss Barbara T. Balte, and Mr. E. William Elliott, Jr. Back row, left to right: Messrs. Edward G. Barker, Clarence E. Hall, James B. Robinson, Harold F. Madagan, Jr., and Dr. Stuart H. Hamilton, Jr.

Cocktails, dinner, and dance—that was the program for the Class of Medicine, '63. What a swinging group were back to tell tall tales. Kneeling, left to right: Drs. Francis J. Duckwall, John D. Cronin, Henry B. Showalter, Gerald Allen, Preston H. Gada, George A. Oliff, Alan P. Cohen, and Harry Thomas, Jr. Second row, left to right: Drs. George L. B. Grinnan, James T. Marshall, James I. Botsford, Frank J. Gillen, Jr., Lester F. Henry, Jr., Robert F. Scott, Norwood C. Cardozo, Jr., Jon L. Jordon, Joseph L. Crosier, John Evans Yurko, and Charles E. Smith. Third row, left to right: Drs. R. Stanley Kirchmier, Blair D. Jamarik, John T. Bonner, Fred O. Dorey, Jr., David E. Couk, Morton Coleman, Algernon G. Davis, Britton E. Taylor, Harvey E. Mast, Thomas E. Winn, Jr., Jameson G. Buston II, Charles W. Moncure, and George T. Jamarik, Jr.

"Good weather, good food and drink but most of all, good fellowship, contributed to the great success of the tenth reunion of the Class of Dentistry, '63, held on June 2 at the Willow Oaks Country Club." First row, left to right: Drs. Murad Kerneklian, Richard R. Butterworth, Benjamin J. Stebor III, Emmette C. Skinner, Jr., Elbert P. Osborne, Jr., John M. Shepherd, Jr., James C. Gordon, Jr., Beechard C. McConnell, Jr., William S. Harrison, William C. Wilson, Julian C. Metts, Jr., David R. Suyes, Jr., Walker W. Hay, and John F. Armstrong, Jr. Second row, left to right: Drs. Allan S. Zeno, Dunbar Oswald Godbold, Melvin G. Leisure, Jr., Cephas W. Thomason III, Earl Thomas Sherman, Robert M. Emory, John F. Wolfe, Jr., Kenneth M. Fleenor, Robert H. Blease, Harold J. Barrett, Jr., Virgil Howell, Robert Y. Baldwin, T. Carroll Player, Jr., John W. Gregory, G. Thomas Bryce, Jr., Joe F. Zoll, and Richard A. LeHew. Back row, Drs. Truman D. Baxter, Jr., and M. Bagley Walker, Jr.

"A fun time was had by all" as the Class of Nursing, '63, met at Salisbury Country Club. Pictured, left to right: Mrs. Joyce Gray Clyborne, Mr. Clyborne, Mrs. Joy Smith Graham, Mr. Rawlings, Mesdames Nancy Glissen Wren, Suzanne Gill Levine, and Ramona Miller Valley, Mr. Valley, Mrs. Clytis Matthews Engel, Mr. Engel, Mrs. Joyce Mundy Rolston, Mr. Rolston, Mrs. Edith Price Vaughan, Mr. Vaughan, Mrs. Joan Blesse Griffin, Mrs. Rochelle Johns Payne, Mr. Payne, Mr. Griffin, Mrs. Elizabeth Wilkinson Astin, Mr. Astin, Mrs. Carolyn Winfrey Keller, Mrs. Mary Graham Murray, Mr. Keller, Mr. Doctoroff, Mesdames Cynthia DeLong Doctoroff and Earlene Whitehurst Canaan, Mr. Canaan, Mrs. Janice Wood Rockwell, Miss Patricia Willey (class instructor), Mr. Rockwell, Mr. Smith, and Mrs. Barbara Custard Smith. Present but not in picture: Mrs. Susan Ottley Rawlings and Mr. Murray.

The Emerald Room, Golden Eagle Motel, was the spot for the first reunion of the Class of '68, Nursing. Smiling faces attest to the success of the party. First row, left to right: Messrs. Dennis Clower, Allan Seale, Steve Possid, and William Butler, Dr. Larry Butler, Mr. Sam Flax, Dr. Jim Burgbacher, Messrs. Charles Harris, Charles Heath, and George Hale. Second row, left to right: Mesdames Carol Spencer Clower, Katherine Botts Seale, Lynn Repass Possid, Shirley Norris Butler, Mary Gaunt Miller, Jane Bray Flax, Patricia Little Harkrader, Sharon Tarpley Hooker, Patricia Curles Burgbacher, Patsy Bateman Harris, Linda Goode Heath, Susan Logan Kidd, and Pamela Stokes Hale. Third row, left to right: Misses Mildred Clark, Carolyn Ashton (guest), and Anne Hubbard, Mesdames Daphne Owen Horner and Cheryl Finnell Papierniak, Mr. Linthicum, Mesdames Georgianna Price Linthicum, Elaine Scott Reid, Virginia White Landes, Messrs. Landes and Hoch, Mesdames Lynn Padgett Hoch and Anne Giberson Parker, Mr. Frank Falls, Mesdames Patricia Cotton Falls, Cathy Lester Bosserman, and Mr. Bosserman.

The Fox Head Inn was the spot where the Class of '68, Medicine, had their first reunion and a grand old time. Sitting, left to right: Dr. Earl E. Burton, Jr., Mrs. Burton, guest of Dr. Turner, Drs. William H. Turner III, and Kenneth Olshansky, guest of Dr. Philip H. Brandt, Dr. Brandt, Mrs. Stephen B. Irvin, and Dr. Theodore G. Aldhizer. Second row, left to right: Dr. Peter L. Goodman, Mesdames Goodman, Giles M. Robertson, Jr., and James B. Hess, Dr. Melvin N. Keim, Mesdames Keim, Donald E. Pryor, and Edward B. Butts, Dr. Roger D. Copenhaver, Mrs. Stephen C. Cenedella, Dr. Cenedella, and Mrs. Aldhizer. Back row, left to right: Husband of Dr. Carol S. Waddell, Dr. Waddell, Drs. Robertson, James R. Hickman, Jr., Hess, J. Lawrence Sippe, Edward L. Lilly, Charles M. Huber, Irvin, Pryor, Kenton K. Holden, and Butts, Mrs. Wesley B. Carter, Drs. Carter and Rudolph L. Raymaker, and Mrs. Raymaker.

"The 1968 graduates of the School of Phormacy enjoyed having dinner in the Marshall Room of the Hotel John Marshall with former classmates and talking about old times. Following dinner, Honorary classmate, Phil Richard (P'69) entertained guests at his nearby bachelor penthouse—a most enjoyable evening." Seated, left to right: Mrs. R. Madison Cummings, Jr., Mr. Cummings, Mrs. Mike Thompson, Messrs. Thompson, Don Barnes, Fred Cousins, and James M. McKenney. Second row, left to right: Miss Anita L. Osborne, Mrs. Ronald Hugh Pack, Miss Sharon Herring, Mesdames John M. Tabb, Jr., Thomas R. Williams, Margaret M. Barnes, Linda McDaniel Armstrong, Richard B. Lakes, Charles E. Hutcheson, Jr., and Stephanie F. Cousins. Back row, left to right: Dr. Boyd M. Clements, Mr. Pack, Mrs. John W. Courtney III, Messrs. Courtney, Phil D. Richard, Tabb, Williams, Armstrong, Lakes, Hutcheson, and Stephen L. Scarborough, and Mesdames Scarborough and McKenney.

Saturday morning, bright and early, the dentists soaked up knowledge at their scientific assembly.

Dental scientific assembly.

Hospitality prevailed at the Alumni House as alumni gathered before the annual meeting.

Saturday—open house.

The Annual Meeting

The eighty-fourth annual meeting of the Alumni Association of the Medical College of Virginia was held in the board room of the Alumni House on June 2, 1973, at 1:45 p.m. The meeting was called to order by the president, Dr. Earle W. Strickland, who then welcomed the alumni present.

On motion of Dr. John Wesley Parker, Jr., seconded by Dr. Rudolph C. Thomason, the minutes of the 1972 annual meeting, published in the August, 1972, issue of *The Scarab*, were approved.

The treasurer's report was distributed and approved on motion of Dr. John Wesley Parker, Jr., seconded by Dr. Rufus P. Ellett, Jr.

Treasurer's Report

The fiscal year of the Alumni Association of the Medical College of Virginia runs from January 1 through December 31. The Association has an operating account and a building fund.

	1971		1972	
OPERATING ACCOUNT:				
Cash on hand, January 1		$ 954.73		$33,757.24
Receipts				
Contributions, $15 and under	$46,347.00		$ 32,476.00	
Contributions, $15 and under prepaid	13,991.00		13,670.00	
Contributions over $15	6,794.09		6,075.98	
Contributions over $15, prepaid	2,198.00		2,098.00	
Miscellaneous receipts	16,663.34		11,272.37	
	$85,993.43	$ 85,993.43	$ 65,592.35	$ 65,692.35
		$ 86,948.16		$ 99,349.59

Disbursements:				
Cash disbursements—includes $16,000 to special funds in '72	$53,190.92	$ 53,190.92	$ 70,175.22	$ 70,175.22
		$ 33,757.24		$ 29,174.37
BUILDING FUND:				
Amount on deposit, Jan. 1	$84,977.66	$ 84,977.66	$101,018.18	$101,018.18
SPECIAL FUNDS:				
Harry Walker Fund	$ 2,457.74		$ 2,457.57	
West Va. Scholarship Fund	491.30		511.63	
Herman Hertzberg Fund			5,210.74	
	$ 2,949.04	$ 2,949.04	$ 8,179.94	$ 8,179.94
		$121,683.94		$138,372.49

The complete audit by A. M. Pullen and Co., certified public accountants, is available if you should desire to see it.

JAMES T. TUCKER, M.D., *treasurer*

Dr. Earle W. Strickland delivered his presidential report.

President's Report

We welcome you to this 84th annual meeting of your Association. You have had a long list of energetic and capable presidents through the years and it is, indeed, hard to follow such individuals.

As our years have increased in number, so has the number of schools at the Medical College, the number of students enrolled, and the number serving on the faculties of these schools. The physical plants involved have of necessity had to be greatly expanded in their capacities and facilities to meet the ever growing needs of our teaching health-care center.

With this growth, a ten-year retrospect of the Alumni Association is worthy of noting.

It is as follows:

Year	Total living Alumni with known addresses	Total alumni members	% Alumni members	Affiliates	Total members
1963	9,169	2,687	29%	97	2,784
1968	9,739	3,677	38%	122	3,799
1972	11,236	3,685	33%	100	3,785

Likewise, a ten year retrospect of the Association revenues and assets is worthy of noting. It is as follows:

Year	Total revenues	Cash operating account	Cash building fund	Surplus operating fund including assets	Special funds	Total assets—from Pullen report
1963	41,706.71	6,379.48	27,887.74	91,873.63		95,242.62
1968	54,396.01	14,555.79	47,513.60	62,560.58	2,302.21	119,008.12
1972	65,692.35	29,174.37	101,018.18	52,812.19	8,179.94	187,150.98

From these figures, it can be seen that the percentage of alumni who are members of the Association has decreased about five per cent from its highest level; however, our total membership has increased. Likewise, our revenues have increased as have our total assets.

The passage of the 89.7 million dollar bond issue for the construction of a new hospital and renovation of some of the existing structures by the 1973 General Assembly of Virginia will certainly prove to be the most significant progress of the Medical College of Virginia this year. It is most satisfying that we salute two of our most illustrous alumni from the School of Pharmacy—Senator Edward E. Willey and Delegate Roy W. Smith. They sponsored and guided the bill through the General Assembly without a hitch. We are deeply indebted to another highly illustrous alumnus from the school of medicine—Dr. Wyndham B. Blanton, Jr., rector of the Board of Visitors, Virginia Commonwealth University, with whose presence we're honored this afternoon; to Dr. Warren W. Brandt, president, Virginia Commonwealth University; to Dr. H. I. Willett, consultant to the president; and to Mr. Ralph M. Ware, another alumnus from the school of pharmacy, who is director of development for VCU. Realizing the great necessity for the passage of this bill for the whole of the Commonwealth of Virginia and, very specifically, for MCV, all of these officials of the University worked tirelessly. Alumni from throughout the State were very active in writing and talking to their Legislators to inform them of the importance of its passage. There was a great unity of effort on the part of the above named individuals

and the alumni in achieving the sanctioning of this most necessary bond issue.

We are very proud of our alumni who are members of the General Assembly and their legislative expertise. We are also very proud of our alumni holding administrative positions within the University. We must continue to support both groups in their endeavor towards making MCV even greater as it is enhanced in stature within the framework of the University.

Many alumni feel that the second most important event so far in 1973 was Doctor Brandt's appointment of Dr. M. Pinson Neal, Jr., to the position of Provost for the Medical College. It is strongly hoped that Doctor Neal will seek to carry out the resolution of the 1970 State Legislature in which the Board of Visitors of the University were "required to take the necessary actions to maintain the identity of the Medical College as an individual College existing within the administrative framework of the University." This seems particularly propitious following the passage by the 1973 Legislature of the 89.7 million dollar bond issue for MCV.

Your immediate past president, Dr. Philip L. A. Minor, and your president were invited to meet with the Board of Visitors of the University and to two meetings with the principal officers of the University and the MCV Foundation. These meetings were held to explore ways of the most effective roles each of the three—the Administration, the Foundation, and the Alumni Association—might play in their relationship to each other and for the specific fundamentals of a greater MCV. Your president continues to sit with the Board of the Foundation monthly as your representative.

Dr. O. T. Graham, indoctrination chairman, and his committee have had a number of luncheons with officers of the student body and officers of the various schools in order to foster a better spirit of cooperation between the students and the Association. This committee planned and in behalf of the Alumni Association cohosted with the MCV Foundation a dance and breakfast for the MCV seniors on May 17, 1973. The affair was enjoyed by approximately 300. On May 19, the Alumni House was open for refreshments from 11 until 2 for graduates and their families. Those alumni acting as hosts enjoyed talking with the new alumni and look forward to welcoming them to membership in the Association.

Being your president requires many days and much travel, but a major fringe benefit is meeting with alumni chapters throughout Virginia and neighboring states and enjoying the fine camaraderie between old and new alumni friends.

In the years ahead there will be changes at the Medical College as it continues to expand. Many of the buildings of the MCV of today will no longer exist. We welcome these changes and growth. The Alumni Association must put forth new effort as it continues to foster a spirit of loyalty and fraternity among the graduates and former students, and to bring about united and concerted action in promoting the welfare of MCV.

To the committees, to the Board members, the chapter officers and members of the Alumni Association who have worked hard, I wish to express my sincere appreciation. Miss Franck and her staff have labored most diligently as always—often beyond the call of duty literally—to keep the intricacies of the Association working smoothly. My thanks and our thanks go to them.

I ask you for your continued support during the remainder of my tenure as your president.

EARLE W. STRICKLAND, D.D.S., *president*

Dr. Rudolph C. Thomason gave his report on the transactions of the Association.

Secretary's Report

The Board of Trustees of the Alumni Association of the Medical College of Virginia has met at three regular and one called meeting during the past year. The attendance at all of these meetings was excellent.

At the fall meeting, Dr. Warren W. Brandt and several of the deans presented the plans for the new Medical College of Virginia hospital. They asked for the help of the MCV alumni in gaining the support of the legislators for the 89 million dollar bond issue which was needed for the project. The various deans presented their projections regarding the number of students to be admitted. The executive committee recommended that reunion be held on June 1, 2, and 3. The nominating committee report for the candidates for the Board of Trustees was received.

At the called meeting in December, the motion was made and passed that the Alumni Association of the Medical College of Virginia go on record as vigorously supporting and endorsing the proposal for the hospital improvement project which had been presented to the Governor for presentation to the General Assembly. A motion was also presented and passed that the Alumni Association of the Medical College of Virginia endorse and recommend continued planning money necessary for the work now in progress on an allied health science building needed by the schools of pharmacy, nursing, and allied health professions for teaching and advancement necessary for all of these schools and professions and their future at MCV. It was also moved and passed that the proposal concerning the trading of the Richmond Academy of Medicine building for the two buildings owned by the Alumni Association of the Medical College of Virginia be presented to the rector of the Board of Visitors.

At the January meeting, Doctor DiBiaggio gave an extensive report on the progress of the school of dentistry. Doctor Brandt spoke of the tremendous support given by the alumni for the new hospital in their contacts with the members of the Legislature. A report was likewise made by the deans of the various schools reporting satisfactory progress. Dr. O. T. Graham, chairman of the indoctrination committee, spoke of the functions planned for the graduating classes in May. A motion was made and car-

ried that we proceed with plans for a dance and breakfast for the graduates provided the MCV Foundation would help us. He also told the Board his committee had met at three luncheon meetings with the officers of the student government, the presidents of the schools, and the presidents of the senior classes. At these meetings, the aims and purposes of the Alumni Association were discussed and an effort was made to make them feel the Alumni House was their second home. Continuing negotiations for the purchase of the Richmond Academy of Medicine building was approved. Mr. R. Reginald Rooke reporting for the MCV Foundation said the funds were growing satisfactorily and the fund is now around 11 million dollars. A program has been worked out which will keep all interested parties informed as to what is going on.

At the June meeting of the Board, the question was asked of the deans and administration what the Alumni Association could do to help them. The only reply was from Dr. M. Pinson Neal, the provost, who asked for support for the new science building. Dr. O. T. Graham moved that a dance for the seniors be an annual affair if the MCV Foundation would help us as they did this year.

Resolutions will be prepared recognizing the services of Dr. H. Hudnall Ware, Jr., and Dr. David M. Hume.

Many thanks to Minnie Franck for doing all the work.

Respectfully submitted,
RUDOLPH C. THOMASON, M.D., *secretary*

Miss Minnie M. Franck, executive secretary, was called on for her report.

Executive Secretary's Report

The time has rolled 'round to speak to you again and how nice it is to report to a group of friends. I could tell you how many pieces of mail have gone out of the office, how many of you have moved, how many class letters have been written, but I think I'd rather tell you something that will warm your heart. It was just five years ago that the merger or amalgamation between MCV and RPI took place. Shortly thereafter, when a questionnaire was sent out, alumni responded to the tune of 97% that the identity of MCV must be maintained. There were some at that time who thought that as the students graduated from the University there would be a lessening in the desire of these graduates to maintain this identity. The converse seems to be the case. Among this year's graduates, there was great happiness on the part of the students of the school of medicine that Medical College of Virginia was prominent on their diplomas, the school of dentistry graduates searched for an MCV seal to use on their invitations to their school's graduation, and the school of pharmacy class rings say MCV. What this means I think is that MCV is alive and well—still confronted with problems but still the alma mater of which you can be justly proud. My thanks to all of you and particularly the officers and the Board.

MINNIE M. FRANCK, *evecutive secretary*

Dr. Raymond Brown read the report of the Board of Tellers for Dr. Thornton R. Cleek which had been accepted at the meeting of the Board of Trustees on June 1.

Board of Tellers Report

The Board of Tellers certifies the following have been elected to the Board of Trustees for the term beginning January 1, 1974.

Dr. Herbert C. Allen, Jr., M'41, Houston, Texas
Dr. Ota T. Graham, Jr., M'53, Richmond, Virginia
Dr. Carolyn M. McCue, M'41, Richmond, Virginia
Dr. Henderson P. Graham, D'54, Marion, Virginia
Dr. John D. Beall, D'48, Richmond, Virginia
Mr. Thomas W. Rorrer, Jr., P'52, Waynesboro, Virginia
Mr. Floyd A. Robertson, Jr., P'43 M, Lynchburg, Virginia
Mrs. Barbara L. Hendricks, N'57, Martinsburg, West Virginia

Respectfully submitted,
Board of Tellers
THORNTON R. CLEEK, M.D., Chairman
WARNER J. BALL, D.D.S.
CAROL B. CANTRELL
R. PAGE KENT

Doctor Strickland called on Dr. Wyndham B. Blanton, Jr., rector of the Board of Visitors of VCU. Doctor Blanton said the new hospital in this area would not have been possible without the alumni support. He felt the alumni part in it was greater than anyone would ever realize. He also commented on the cooperation with himself and the Board of Doctor Strickland and his predecessor toward the melding of spirit which will add to the furtherance of this institution.

Dr. Hugh O. Wrenn was thanked for the wonderful job he had done and was doing as reunion chairman by Doctor Strickland.

There was no unfinished business though Doctor Strickland did say there is an effort being made to maintain the identity of MCV in the directives to the various schools put out by the administration.

Dr. Philip A. Minor presented the report of the nominating committee:

President
Dr. Rufus P. Ellett, Jr., M'44, Roanoke, Virginia
President-elect
Dr. Francis H. McMullan, M'51, Richmond, Virginia
Vice president, medicine
Dr. Walter F. Green III, M'57, Harrisonburg, Virginia
Vice president, dentistry
Dr. P. D. Miller, D'36, Blacksburg, Virginia
Vice president, pharmacy
Mr. R. Reginald Rooke, P'21, Richmond, Virginia
Vice president, nursing
Miss Mae Belle Lee, N'51, Richmond, Virginia
Vice president, allied health
Mr. John H. Tobin, Jr., HA'59, Richmond, Virginia
Treasurer
Dr. James T. Tucker, M'27, Richmond, Virginia
Secretary
Dr. Rudolph C. Thomason, M'29, Richmond, Virginia

Dr. John Wesley Parker, Jr., moved for the acceptance of the report. There were no further nominations. Dr. Hugh O' Wrenn seconded the motion and the slate was elected.

Doctor Strickland called on the new president, Dr. Rufus P. Ellett, Jr., who will take office January 1, 1974. He said: "Earle, you have done a wonderful job, and I hope in January when I move in as president that we'll have a lot of action going." Doctor Ellett mentioned he had been requested by an alumnus, who was cognizant of the resignation of the chairman of the department of medicine and the untimely death of the chairman of the department of surgery, to bring before the meeting the possibility of having representation of members of the Alumni Association on the committees chosen to make these appointments.

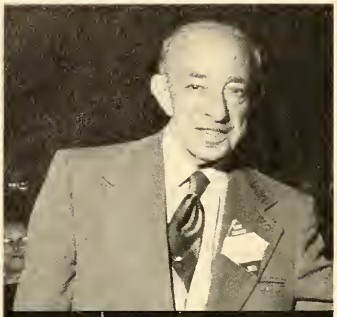
A discussion ensued but no action was taken.

Doctor Thomason moved for adjournment of the meeting. Mr. Tobin seconded the motion, which was carried.

Rudolph C. Thomason, M.D., *secretary*

The banquet.

The banquet and dance on Saturday night were gala events. It was so nice to have so many of the fifty-year graduates back to receive their pins, the badge of service.



Dr. Benjamin E. Glass and Dr. Harry Lyons rise to receive their fifty-year pins.

Dr. Philip L. A. Minor receives his past president's pin and congratulations from Dr. Earle W. Strickland.

Drs. L. H. Apperson, C. I. Sease, George T. Dill, A. A. Houser, James L. Hamner, Carroll H. Iden, Eugene B. Pendleton, John M. Hughes, Wilbur R. Bracey, Edgar P. Norfleet, Miss Myra Stone, Miss Elise Grimes, Miss May McLucas, Mrs. Musa A. Lewis, and Mrs. Isabelle S. McGill.

Down the steps: Mr. Josiah W. Chamblee, Mrs. Yetta B. Lowenstein, Mrs. Edna N. Hooker, Mr. Joseph E. Layman, Mr. Sterling P. Dutton, Mrs. E. Warrener W. Perry, Mrs. Winifred W. Jewett, Mrs. Mary H. Oliver, and Mrs. Viola E. Sherrod. Left to right, standing: Mr. W. Ralston Lecky, Jr., Dr. R. Ashton Gay, Dr. G. Guy Overholt, Dr. Francis J. Clements, Dr. William P. Bittinger, Dr. George E. Glass, and Mrs. Elizabeth W. Madsen.

Reunion, '73, ended with the brunch on Sunday morning honoring the 50-year and pre-50 year groups and never would you see a more enthusiastic bunch. We are already thinking about Reunion, '74, and looking forward to seeing you.

Purposes

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The Medical College of Virginia Foundation was incorporated under the sponsorship of the Board of Visitors of the Medical College of Virginia, May 29, 1949, as a non-profit, non-stock Virginia corporation. Copies of its Articles of Incorporation, as amended, may be obtained from the Executive Director of the Foundation. The Foundation itself has been held to be exempt from Federal Income Tax and *inter vivos* gifts and bequests to it have been ruled to be deductible in computing Federal Income and Estate Taxes.

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Thanks to Roy Smith

Twenty-one years ago, serving his first term in the Virginia House of Delegates, W. Roy Smith cast the only vote against Social Security for state employees because he didn't like the federal subsidy involved. When his lone red light appeared on the tally board, "everyone turned around to see who this upstart was," he related years later.

The "upstart" subsequently became one of the most highly respected members of the Virginia General Assembly. Three years ago, when the House approved the state budget, delegates from both political parties rose in a body to applaud the man who was then serving his initial term as chairman of the House Appropriations Committee—W. Roy Smith of Petersburg.

Again in the 1972 and 1973 sessions, Del. Smith guided the budget through the House after long and arduous consideration by the Appropriations Committee under the patient leadership of the chairman. To do the job right, it was necessary for Smith and his committee to work many hours, sometimes far into the night, to hammer out a proposal for expenditures of the available state funds. Smith's vast knowledge of the state government was an enormous aid in getting the job done. His knowledge, expertise, and capacity for hard work have also made him a valuable member of other influential House committees and legislative study commissions over the years.

The caliber of the Petersburg delegate is indicated only by his accomplishments in the Legislature but also by evidence of the high regard in which he is held in other fields. The Virginia Pharmaceutical Association chose him as "Pharmacist of the Year" in 1965, and earlier the Alumni Association of the Medical College of Virginia selected him as its president. And two years ago, when he said that he was considering not seeking re-election to the House, a "Draft Roy Smith Committee" was quickly organized and later more than 350 persons got together at a testimonial dinner to urge him to run.

Smith did run and serve one more term, but recently he submitted his resignation to the Governor, effective May 31, explaining that he simply could no longer devote to his legislative duties as much time as was required. Gov. Holton's comment on the resignation indicates the sentiments of the vast majority of those Virginians who are familiar with Smith's contributions.

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Class News

1913 Estill L. Caudill of Elizabethton, Tennessee, retired from the practice of medicine and surgery on June 22 completing 60 years of service. He practiced in Troutdale and Narrows before going to Elizabethton in 1928 where he built St. Elizabeth's Hospital which he operated for thirty years. His son, **Estill, Jr.** (M'41), of Elizabethton, and his grandson, **Estill III** (M'65), who is at Boston General Hospital, will join in a family celebration.

1916 James L. Hamner (M) of Mannboro, Virginia, was honored recently at the dedication of the new library at Amelia Courthouse which was named for him. He was featured in an article on "Country Doctors" in the *Richmond Times-Dispatch* which told of his early years of practice contrasted with today's.

1917 Blondin S. Brake (M) of Clarksburg, West Virginia, became health officer, District 3, in 1950, and director of the Harrison-Clarksburg Health Department in 1953, after his retirement from private practice. He was presented a citizen's award on his 89th birthday by Governor Arch A. Moore, Jr. as one of the State's most distinguished physicians, as a community leader, and as an outstanding citizen. Doctor Brake is believed to be the oldest active public health official in the United States.

Roscoe F. Thornhill (M) of Pulaski, Virginia, is in the Veterans Hospital. His wife writes he is totally blind and helpless.

1923 Waverly R. Payne (M) of Newport News, Virginia, was the subject of an article in *The Times Herald,* Newport News paper, which covered his fifty years of practice in the area.

1926 Webster P. Barnes (M) of Richmond, Virginia, has retired from his practice at The McGuire Clinic, Inc.

J. Berkeley Gordon (M) and his wife of Rumson, New Jersey, travelled to Southern Europe and North Africa in April. He continues to serve as consultant to the Monmouth Medical Center, the Jersey Shore Medical Center, and the New Jersey Department of Law and Public Safety as well as director of the Monmouth County Blood Bank and treasurer of his county's branch of the English-Speaking Union.

1927 John Wesley Parker, Jr. (M), of Seaboard, North Carolina, was honored at the doctor's day dinner for his area in May for his years of service. Doctor Parker was the subject of an article in *The Herald,* a local paper, in which he reminisced about his years of practice.

Victor K. Young (M), formerly of Riverhead, New York, has retired and moved to Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

1928 W. Nash Thompson (M) of Stuart, Virginia, was the subject of an article concerning his years of practice and background in *The Enterprise,* a local paper.

1931 Charles L. Meistroff (D) of Richmond, Virginia, is listed in the *International Who's Who in Community Service* and received a medal for distinguished service in the community.

1933 Edward W. Perkins III (M) of Richmond, Virginia, received the Alumni Distinguished Service Award from Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Virginia, on Alumni Day, 1973.

E. Claiborne Robins (P) and his family of

Richmond, Virginia, were honored at the dedication of the Robins Center, the new gymnasium at the University of Richmond, given by the Robins family.

1935 A. J. Villani (M) of Welch, West Virginia, spoke on "Medical Humor—Family Life" at the Second Annual Clinical Workshop in Obstetrics and Gynecology in Charleston in May.

1938 W. Taliaferro Thompson, Jr. (M), of Richmond, Virginia, retired as chairman of the department of medicine at the end of June. He has been chairman since 1959. After a six-months leave of absence, he will return as professor of medicine. Doctor Thompson was honored at a dinner by his past housestaff and friends on May 31. On June 1, the former housestaff put on a scientific assembly. At the end of this, they presented a portrait of Doctor Thompson to the College. During his tenure, the department has expanded from about twenty full-time faculty members to about sixty today.

William H. Traynham, Jr. (D), of Hampton, Virginia, has been elected as a trustee of the Boys Home, Covington, Virginia.

1939 Marion F. Jarrett (M) of Charleston, West Virginia, was elected the 76th Potentate of Beni Kedem Temple on January 18. He was appointed captain of the Guard in 1965 and has regularly advanced through appointed and elective offices of the Divan. Doctor Jarrett is married to the former **Catherine Falls** (Diet. '39). He is in the practice of internal medicine.

1941 W. Roy Smith (P) of Petersburg, Virginia, was promoted to vice president for product planning and development by the A. H. Robins Co.

1943M Estelle Smith Sheldon (N) of Greensboro, North Carolina, is a family planning nurse practitioner in the Guilford County Health Department. She writes she "enjoys the work greatly." Mrs. Sheldon attended a course in Newark, New Jersey, in preparation for this job. In addition to clinics in Greensboro and High Point, they have a van to carry service to women in the rural area. They deal with almost 6,000 patients.

1943D William H. ReMine (M) of Rochester, Minnesota, recently presided as president of the Central Association of Dentists and Physicians in Aspen, Colorado, following which he lectured in San Juan, Puerto Rico, to the Puerto Rican Chapter of the American College of Surgeons. In June, 1973, he addressed the Surgical Section of the American Medical Association at the Americana Hotel in New York City and he has been invited to address the International Society of Surgery in Barcelona, Spain, in September, 1973, on the subject, "Diagnosis and Surgical Management of Pheochromocytoma." October, 1973, will find him in Mexico City as secretary-treasurer of "The Priestley Society."

1944 Oscar W. Clarke (M) of Gallipolis, Ohio, where he has practiced since 1950, was installed on May 9 as president of the Ohio State Medical Association. Doctor Clarke is a diplomate of the American Board of Internal Medicine and a fellow of the American College of Physicians and Great Britain's Royal Society of Medicine. He serves in the AMA House of Delegates.

Claude A. Frazier (M) of Asheville, North Carolina, recently published another book, *Should Preachers Play God? Games Doctors Play*. He also had an article in *U. S. News and World Report*.

1945 James A. Harrell (D) of Elkin, North Carolina, was installed as president of the North Carolina Dental Society in May. It

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Tragedy Strikes

Dr. David M. Hume, chairman and professor of surgery at MCV, was killed in the crash of a private plane near Van Nuys, California on May 19. His loss will continue to be felt at MCV. The eulogy delivered by Dr. Francis D. Moore, professor of surgery and chairman of the department of surgery, Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, at the services held at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church on May 22 expresses so beautifully the sentiments of many.

"Genius perceives the way of the future through the orderliness of nature. It has been said that nature poses no problems, only solutions. Genius finds these solutions and puts them to work for mankind.

"A restless person is one who is dissatisfied with things as they are. His restless spirit leads him to adventures and to new ideas, but also to controversy and sometimes to danger. He often upsets or disturbs those who would keep things as they are, or move more slowly.

"David Hume's restless genius did all these things.

"From Michigan to Chicago, then to Harvard and Virginia, he always sought change and created new ideas and new ways as he went.

"Off to the war and then called back to the military a second time, he found occasion even there to create new knowledge that changed our understanding of human endocrinology.

"Returning then to civilian life, and just 22 years ago this month, working with his colleagues Doctor Merrill and Doctor Thorn, and with his beloved teacher, Doctor Harrison, he carried out the first of a long series of organ transplants that truly changed the face of surgery and medicine throughout the world.

"Helped in spirit by his devoted wife Martha and their four children, he carried on this work extensively, always trying new improvements as a true pioneer. He took this work to Richmond with him when he came South: a Lake Michigan Yankee to the shores of the River James.

"Steadying to his new work of building a fine department and then helping to weld together a new university, he often lost himself and submerged an easy life in the restlessness of his quest for perfection.

"Never with his family or on his farm as much as he would like, his work carried him far afield, and now by a new adventure in restless travel for enjoyment, a challenge that turned tragic in the end.

"Were he here today, to listen as we celebrate his life and the affection that all of us feel for him, and as we mourn the loss of his early passing, he would modestly turn us aside with a joke. But in his heart he would rejoice that we were here and that we all understand why thousands of people today—all over the world—owe their lives to what his restless genius, dissatisfied with things as they were, lead him to do for the first time."

School of Medicine

At this writing, as will be true at the time of your reading, MCV still mourns the loss of Dr. David Hume. He was aptly characterized in the memorial service eulogy by Dr. Francis

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Moore as a "restless genius" who brought great progress to American surgery. A search committee will be seeking a successor, as is also true in the Department of Internal Medicine where Dr. W. T. Thompson retired as chairman after 14 years service. Following a sabbatical leave, Doctor Thompson will return to the faculty as professor of medicine. Dr. David Richardson is serving as acting chairman.

Dr. Peter Pastore, chairman of otolaryngology for 28 years, also plans to retire as chairman when a successor is selected. New chairmen joining MCV recently are Dr. Roderick Macdonald in ophthalmology and Doctor Lawrence Amick in physical medicine and rehabilitation. Doctor Macdonald, trained at Tulane, had previously been chairman of ophthalmology at the University of Louisville for eight years as well as serving as vice dean, and developing a substantial clinical, teaching, and research program. Doctor Amick, trained in physical medicine at the Mayo Clinic and in neurology at the University of Iowa, was professor of neurology at the University of New Mexico School of Medicine.

An often expressed need, and one commented on by both Governor Holton's "Temple Commission" review of MCV Hospitals and the VCU Self-Study, was for closer liaison between the School of Medicine and the MCV Hospitals. Two recent developments have improved this relationship. As already noted in *The Scarab,* Dr. Pinson Neal, formerly assistant vice president for Health Sciences and professor of radiology, was appointed provost of the University in April 1973. In this position Doctor Neal will represent President Warren Brandt on the MCV campus and coordinate relationships between health-science education and health-care delivery. On June 1, 1973, Dr. John R. Jones, executive associate dean of the School of Medicine and professor of anesthesiology, was also given the title of director of clinical services for MCV Hospitals. While retaining his School of Medicine function, Doctor Jones will also have direct input into patient care and supporting services at MCV Hospitals. Both of these changes should permit more effective educational programs and improved health care on the MCV campus.

At the May 19, 1973, graduation ceremony 129 physicians received the M.D. degree. The awarding of degrees and symbolic doctoral hooding took place in St. Paul's Church. Thirteen of these graduates received the M.D. degree at the end of three years of medical school. MCV students may elect, during the spring of their sophomore year to graduate in three years. They must be in good academic standing, pass Part II of the National Board examination during their third year, and match through the National Intern Matching Program with a medical school based graduate medical education program. With the trend among many medical schools to reduce the educational program to three years for all students, it is of interest that 33 MCV students made this selection in the spring of 1972, 15 of these decided during the junior year that for them more education was desirable and dropped from the early graduation group, and, of the 18 remaining, five did not match with the University internships of their choice. The 13 noted above who graduated with the Class of 1973 comprise only ten percent of the junior class. To us this suggests that most students know better than to rush their medical education, and prefer the leavening benefits of the elective senior year before receiving the M.D. degree.

WARREN H. PEARSE, M.D., *dean*

Class News

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was a busy month for the Harrells, their son, James, Jr., graduated from the MCV Dental School on May 19.

1947 Ann Howard Suggs (M), wife of **Joseph R. Suggs** (D'47), of Asheboro, North Carolina, was the recipient of one of the North Carolina Department of Mental Health's Volunteer of the Year Awards on May 17. Doctor Suggs, director—without pay—of the Randolph County Mental Health Unit, was also a guest at a tea given by Mrs. James Holhouser, wife of the Governor, at the Mansion. Doctor Suggs was instrumental in establishing the mental health service in her county.

E. Randolph Trice (M) of Richmond, Virginia, was named a fellow of the American College of Physicians.

Harold E. Wilkins (M) of Downey, California, was reappointed by Governor Ronald Reagan to the Board of Medical Examiners of California in May for a second four-year term. He was elected vice president of this Board and as a director of the Federation of State Medical Boards of the United States in February.

1949 Thomas F. Marshall, Jr. (P), of Urbanna, Virginia, was on the program on the second session of the Virginia Pharmaceutical Association meeting in Williamsburg.

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1950 Ralph M. Scott (M) of Louisville, Kentucky, is professor of radiology and director of radiation therapy at the University of Louisville School of Medicine. Doctor Scott is chairman of the executive council of the American Roentgen Ray Society; president, Kentucky Division, American Cancer Society; and president, American Board of Radiology.

William P. Wagner (M) of Richmond, Virginia, has been elected president of the Richmond Area Mental Health Association.

1952 James L. Grobe (M) of Phoenix, Arizona, president of the American Academy of Family Physicians, will participate in a "Symposium on Family Practice" at the meeting of the West Virginia State Medical Association at The Greenbrier in August. The speech, "The Future of Family Practice", which he gave at the meeting of the West Virginia Chapter, American Academy of General Practice, in Morgantown, in April was published in the June issue of *The West Virginia Medical Monthly*.

Richard B. Kemp (PT) of Chicago, Illinois, semi-retired by ending his duty as chief physical therapist. He now takes part-time assignments in nursing homes and hospitals. He says it's a good arrangement which allows more time for his assorted hobbies.

1953 D. Earl Brown, Jr. (M), and his wife, the former **Lelia Motley** (MT '52), have been transferred to Bethesda, Maryland, where Captain Brown assumed command of the Naval Hospital. He has been head of the neuropsychiatry branch of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery since 1970. He is certified in psychiatry by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology. He is a fellow of the American Psychiatric Association and the American College of Physicians, and is a member of the AMA, the American College of Psychiatrists, and the Aerospace Medical Association.

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Allan L. Forbes (M), formerly of Washington, D. C., has assumed the position of Director, Bureau of Nutrition, Department of National Health and Welfare, Ottowa, Ontario. This is the senior position in the field of human nutrition in the Canadian government.

Robert M. McDonald (M) of Harrisonburg, Virginia, was chosen vice president of the Rockingham County Medical Society.

1954 Lawrence D. Burtner (M) of Harrisonburg, Virginia, serves as secretary of the Rockingham County Medical Society.

1954 Byard S. Deputy (D) of Charlottesville, Virginia, is an associate professor of pediatric dentistry at the University of Virginia School of Medicine. He is also director of the comprehensive child-care and pilot program in children's dental health in Greene County.

1955 John J. Battaglino (M) of Wheeling, West Virginia, president of the West Virginia Obstetrical and Gynecological Society, participated in the Second Annual Clinical Workshop on Obstetrics and Gynecology in Charleston in May.

1956 Katherine C. Bobbitt (N) of Richmond, Virginia, has been named assistant dean for the undergraduate curriculum at the School of Nursing, MCV. Miss Bobbitt is a specialist in psychiatric nursing.

Louis J. Read (M) of Lynchburg, Virginia, was recently chosen president of the Tri-State Medical Association.

1957 Carolyn Jo Chenoweth Leonard (N), wife of **James R. Leonard** (M'59), of Merion Station, Pennsylvania, has been admitted to the Bar of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. She is a member of the International Federation of Women Lawyers and serves as president of Baltimore's Lambda Chapter of Iota Tau Tau, internal legal society, and as Eastern chancellor of the national council. She was chairman of the biennial national convention in Baltimore in August.

John M. Quarles (M) and his wife, the former **Betty Tesh** (N'56) live in Seaford, Virginia. Doctor Quarles is president of the Hampton Roads Academy of Family Physicians and the Peninsula Heart Association and a member of the Board of Supervisors, York County, for the 1971-1975 term.

1958 Edward M. Durand (P) of Norfolk, Virginia, is a retail pharmacist who he says "as a clinical pharmacist is promoting this imperative trend in chain pharmaceutical practice." He attended the North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association Convention in June.

B. William Freund, Jr. (M), and his wife, **Phyllis Beckworth Freund** (N'56), have moved from McLean, Virginia to Suffolk, Virginia, where he will become associated with the Portsmouth Psychiatric Center, Portsmouth, Virginia, as chief of the outpatient service. The Freunds have one daughter and three sons, ages 9 through 12. Mrs. Freund had been assisting Doctor Freund in his private practice of psychiatry as office manager and psychiatric technician.

1960 William L. Robbins (M) of Martinsville, Virginia, is serving as president of the Patrick-Henry Medical Society.

1961 Richard K. Ames (D) of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, is dental director of the Broward County Health Department, which position he assumed in 1971 after retiring from nine years of private practice. He was on a nine-months leave of absence during which time he was at John Hopkins University School of Hygiene and Public Health. On May 25, he received his master of public health degree. His wife and four children were with him in Towson, Maryland during this time.

Owen Riley Boone (M) of Leesburg, Virginia, was elected president of the Loudoun County Medical Society on June 1, 1973. He has been in the practice of general surgery in Northern Virginia since January, 1971.

Robert T. Mosby, Jr. (M), of Virginia Beach, Virginia, was installed as president of the Virginia Beach Medical Society.

1962 Gary F. Daniel (D) of Asheville, North Carolina, is the current president of the Buncombe County Dental Society.

Eugene M. McDaniel (M) of Martinsville, Virginia, was elected secretary-treasurer of the Patrick-Henry Medical Society.

Charles A. Stringfellow (M) of Norfolk, Virginia, was chosen a fellow of the American College of Physicians.

Robert L. Watson (M) of Honolulu, Hawaii, has been chief of anesthesia and operative service at Tripler Army Medical Center since 1971. Doctor Watson has been a diplomate of the American Board of Anesthesiology since 1968 and in 1970 he was elected a fellow of the American College of Cardiology. He was chosen outstanding staff teacher by the 1973 interns at Tripler.

1963 Lawrence F. Johnson (M) and his wife, the former **Eliza Southall** (N'61 AD), are stationed at Fort Shafter, Hawaii. Doctor Johnson continues to be chief of gastroenterology at Tripler General Army Hospital in Honolulu. He was recently certified by the American Board of Gastroenterology. They expect to be there for 18 more months. They write: "Larry, Jr., is five years old and all of us adore outdoorsy Hawaii, the swimming, sailing, snorkeling, and relaxing."

1964 Robert B. Belk (M) and his wife, Ruth, of Anderson, South Carolina, announce the birth of David Henderson on March 29. They have two other children, Bobby, Jr., 5, and Lynn Holland, 3. Doctor Belk is in the practice of OB-Gyn.

David Gray Crittenden (M) and his wife, Lucy, of Richmond, Virginia, announce the birth of their daughter, Laura Cole, on December 18.

Lawrence E. Southworth (M) of Fredericksburg, Virginia, was chosen president-elect of the Fredericksburg Medical Society.

1967 John A. Busciglio (D) of Brandon, Florida, completed two years service in the USAF, specialized in orthodontics at Tufts University, and now has two practices in the Tampa area. The Busciglios have three children, Michael, 10, Debbie, 8, and Brian, 7 months. He is active in the Brandon Sertomo Club, The Chamber of Commerce, American Association of Orthodontists, and the Tufts Association of Orthodontists.

1968 Peggy Daniels Williams (P) of Minneapolis, Minnesota, who works for a chain drug store, has been made a director of J. W. W. Enterprise, Inc., makers of pool tables.

Brian M. Dorsk (M) of Portland, Maine, was certified by the American Board of Internal Medicine in June, 1972. Doctor Dorsk has completed a two-year fellowship in medical oncology at Memorial Hospital for Cancer and Allied Diseases in New York and became associate director of medical oncology at the Main Medical Center, Portland, in August.

John V. Sawicki (D) of Mattituck, Long Island, New York, was elected commander of VFW Post #2476. Doctor Sawicki served with the Air Force in Pleiku, R.V.N., in 1969.

1969 Rachel V. Bandy (N), who has been a public health nurse in Raleigh, North

Carolina, will serve as a nurse for the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board for two years at the Baptist Medical Center, Nalerigu, Ghana.

Everett B. Cox, Jr. (P), of Box Elder, Montana, has completed a 100-hour emergency medical technician course at the University of Colorado Medical School. Mr. Cox is a pharmacist, administrator, lab/x-ray technician at Rocky Boys Indian Reservation in Montana.

J. Baldwin Smith III (M) and his wife of Rochester, Minnesota, announce the birth of their second child, Julie Ann, on March 2.

1970 Katherine J. Delk (N) of Richmond, Virginia, is an associate instructor at Richmond Memorial Hospital School of Nursing teaching medical-surgical nursing.

Michael B. Ford (M) and his wife of Big Stone Gap, Virginia, announce the arrival of their second son and third child, Derek Parker, on April 3. Doctor Ford is currently in group family practice and plans to open the new 60-bed Lonesome Pine Hospital this summer.

Stevan Terrell Hanna (M) and his wife announce the birth of their first child, Stevan Terrell, Jr., on June 1. Doctor Hanna, who has been in La Jolla, California, moved to Charlottesville where he has begun an E. N. T. residency.

J. Neville White (M) formerly of Arlington, Virginia, moved to Columbus, Ohio, in June where he will begin a two-year fellowship in kidney diseases at Ohio State. The Whites announce the arrival of their second son in May.

1971 Edward M. O'Keefe (D) who has been stationed at Fort Knox, Kentucky, doing general dentistry with the Army Dental Corp, will move to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He will enter a residency in endodontics at Albert Einstein Medical Center. Doctor and Mrs. O'Keefe announce the arrival of their second son on May 3.

Dianne Snead (N) of Lynchburg, Virginia, was married on November 18 to John C. Roberson, Cpt., U. S. Army. Mrs. Roberson is a first lieutenant in the U. S. Army Nurse Corps and is presently head nurse of the septic surgery ward at Womack Army Hospital, Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Richard N. Waldman (M) of Richmond, Virginia, completed two years at the University of Michigan in the department of medicine, one as an intern and the other as a first-year resident. He began a dermatology residency at MCV in July. The Waldmans have a son, Larry, 2½.

Kenneth D. Youner (M) of Fairlawn, New Jersey, is currently a resident in medicine at Mount Sinai Hospital, New York City. He will work on a fellowship there in gastroenterology in July, 1974.

1972 Richard J. Andrassy (M) of San Antonio, Texas, plans a four-year residency in general surgery at MCV and then a three-year fellowship in pediatrics.

Paul L. Berenbaum (M) of New York, New York, plans to seek a fellowship in gastroenterology.

Mark M. Blatter (M) of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will remain at the Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh at least two more years.

Daniel C. Booker, Jr. (M), of San Antonio, Texas, will return to Virginia after completing an orthopedic surgery residency.

George R. Bowers (M) of Arlington, Virginia, is doing a residency at George Washington University Medical Center.

Laurence W. Brooks (M) of Augusta, Georgia, will serve in the USAF for three years.

Lyman R. Brothers III (M) of San Antonio, Texas, began a urology residency, July 1.

William E. Feldman (M) of Richmond, Virginia, plans to study in the field of pediatric infectious diseases.

Ronald J. (M) and **Suzanne P. Gebhart** (M) are living in San Antonio, Texas. Doctor Ronald plans a residency in internal medicine at Wilford Hall, USAF Medical Center. Doctor Suzanne will do a residency in internal medicine at the University of Texas, San Antonio.

Richard J. Geller (M) of Boston, Massachusetts, has entered a pathology residency at Massachusetts General Hospital.

M. David Gibbons (M) of Richmond, Virginia, is doing a urology residency at MCV and plans to enter private practice in Virginia.

Lewis W. Gravely (M) of Beckley, West Virginia, will be stationed in Jacksonville, Florida, for the beginning of his two years in the Navy. He then plans an ophthalmology residency.

Kerry T. Higgins (M) of Denver, Colorado, has begun a family practice residency at the University of Colorado Medical Center.

Thomas J. Hlivko (M) of Monroeville, Pennsylvania, has begun a residency in pathology at the University of Pittsburgh.

Eric Hoffer (M) of Inwood, Long Island, New York, is planning a radiology residency.

Thomas F. Hogan (M) has entered an internal medicine residency at Thomas Jefferson University Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Richard H. Hosfield (M) and his wife, the former **Joan Brindle** (PT'69), formerly of Richmond, Virginia, has moved to Blackstone, Virginia, where Doctor Hosfield will begin a two-year residency in family practice.

Charles E. Hutcheson, Jr. (D, P'68), has opened a general dentistry practice in Farmville, Virginia. The Hutchesons are an-

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ticipating the arrival of their second child in August.
Donald G. Levitin (D) and his wife, Trudy, are spending two years in San Antonio, Texas, at Kelly Air Force Base. Doctor Levitin is in a dental rotation. They have one son, Joseph, who is ten months old.
John W. Mack, Jr. (M), will do a general surgery residency at Travis AFB, California.
Dawn G. Mueller (M) of Richmond, Virginia, will continue in the pediatrics residency program at MCV.
John M. Mueller (M) of Richmond, Virginia, is in the medicine resident's program at MCV.
C. Arthur Nalls III (M) of Roanoke, Virginia, thinks he will probably do an ENT residency.
William T. Naylor (M) will continue his residency in radiology at Norfolk General Hospital, Norfolk, Virginia, for another year.
David M. Pariser (M) is in Miami, Florida, doing a dermatology residency. After this he plans to enter private practice.
Grover C. Robinson III (M) of El Paso, Texas, will stay two more years at William Beaumont General Hospital in a pediatric residency. After two years of Army service, he plans to practice pediatrics in Virginia or North Carolina.
Carol G. Ryan (M) of Kettering, Ohio, is doing a family practice residency.
Barry Silver (M) of Waltham, Massachusetts, has started a dermatology residence at Massachusetts General Hospital.

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Doris A. Trauner (M) of La Jolla, California, intends to specialize in pediatric neurology in academic medicine in a university hospital situation combining research with clinical medicine.
William J. Viglione (D) is in an internship program with the U. S. Army at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.
James A. Wassum (M) of Richmond, Virginia, has entered a therapeutic radiology residency at MCV.
William E. Wheeler (M) of Richmond, Virginia, began a radiology diagnostic residency at MCV.
John B. Willey (M) of Richmond, Virginia, will do an OB-Gyn residency at MCV.
1973 Sandra Lane (N) of Richmond, Virginia, was married after commencement at the U. S. Naval Academy to Ensign Terry Tilton of Amamosa, Iowa.
H/S Roger L. Hiatt (M) of Memphis, Tennessee, professor and chairman of the department of ophthalmology at the University of Tennessee College of Medicine, was recently elected to the American Ophthalmology Society. He is also in private practice.

Lest We Forget

1901 UCM Samuel Enoch Weymouth (M) of Callao, Virginia, died on March 26. He served as an assistant surgeon in the reserve of the U. S. Public Service and as medical advisor for the selective service system for eight years. He was at one time president of the Callao State Bank.
1903 W. G. Delp (D) of Rural Retreat, Virginia, died on October 3.
1906 UCM Margaret M. Davis (N), of Culpeper, Virginia, died on July 24, 1971.
John C. Jennings (P) of Jacksonville, Florida, died on May 10, 1972.
1907 UCM George H. Davis (M) of Warrenton, Virginia, died on May 26, 1972.
1909 UCM S. O. Blair (P) of Eaton, Indiana, died on July 19, 1972.
1909 F. D. Culpepper (P) of Louisburg, North Carolina, died on June 24, 1972.
1911 UCM Lena Rollins Herring (N) of Richmond, Virginia, died on January 17.
1912 Charles A. Warner (D) of Tappahannock, Virginia, died on April 8. He practiced there from 1912 until his retirement in 1969. He served on the Town Council for 32 years and was mayor from 1938 to 1948. He was active in promoting a central high school for the area, a hospital, and the Downing Bridge.
1914 Lillian Anderson Stout (N) of Charlottesville, Virginia, died on April 30. Mrs. Stout had been assistant superintendent of Stuart Circle Hospital, Richmond.
1915 Sallie L. Massie (N) of Roseland, Virginia, died on May 10, 1972.
1916 Grover Wilkes (M) of Sylva, North Carolina, died on February 27. Doctor Wilkes served in World War I and practiced in Sylva from 1920 until his retirement in 1963.
1917 Sanford Nance (P) of Mathews, North Carolina, died on December 30, 1972.
1919 John R. Cain (M) of Cades, South Carolina, died on August 14, 1972.
1920 William M. Mebane (P) of Tryon, North Carolina, died on April 19.
1921 Robert Felix Gillespie (M) of Lebanon, Virginia, died on March 10. He had a country practice in Southwest Virginia.
1924 Albert C. Van Reenan (M) of Bluefield, West Virginia, died on May 12. He retired as an anesthesiologist from the staff of St. Lukes Hospital in 1972. He was a past president of the Mercer County Medical Society.
1926 Wilbur A. Ratcliffe (D) of Richmond, Virginia, died on May 24. He was a past president of the Richmond Dental Society and a fellow of the Virginia Dental Association and the A.D.A.
1927 James Robert Fleet (D) of Richmond, Virginia, died on March 26. Doctor Fleet was a past president of the Richmond Dental Society.
William Samuel Jones (M) of Nashville, North Carolina, died on April 28. He was a general practitioner.
1928 Warren L. Johnson (P) of Roanoke, Virginia, died on January 5. Mr. Johnson worked for Eli Lilly and Co. for 25 years. His last assignment before retiring in 1965 was in Mount Airy, North Carolina. Before going to work for Lilly, he had been a retail pharmacist in Roanoke.
1930 Frank B. Simpson, Jr. (P), of Smithfield, Virginia, died on December 26. He had been medically retired for seven years.
1931 Margaret Anderson Jarrett (N) of Phoenix, Arizona, died on March 11. Mrs. Jarrett was the wife of the late **Lewis E. Jarrett** (P'22 and M'32), who at one time was director of MCV Hospitals.
Thomas B. Payne (M) of Fredericksburg, Virginia, died on January 31 as a result of a car-truck accident. He was associated with the Pratt Clinic. Doctor Payne served with UVA Hospital Unit in World War II.
1933 Florence Hess Comess (M) of York, Pennsylvania, died on March 13.
1934 Frank Woodson Jones (M) of Newton, North Carolina, died on May 29 after a long illness. An editorial in the *Observer-News-Enterprise* of Newton, said "Endowed with a brilliant mind, nurtured with compassion and understanding, Dr. Frank Jones was truly one of the outstanding citizens of Catawba County. Not only did he excel in his profession but in his attitude and willingness to take part in the affairs of the civic and religious life of his area. The skills he possessed in surgery have long been attested through the thousands of people who sought his services. The untiring manner in which he served the medical profession and the thoroughness he insisted upon can readily be noted through his services as president of the Catawba County Medical Society, president of the Ninth District Medical Society, and president of the Medical Society of the State of North Carolina, as well as serving a number of years as chairman of the North Carolina Health Insurance Advisory Board and as the first chairman of the liaison committee to the Insurance Industry. Doctor Jones played a vital role in the organization of the staff and was elected the first chief of staff of Catawba Memorial Hospital."
1935 Ralph M. Lechausse (M) of Bonita Springs, Florida, died on July 22, 1972. Doctor Lechausse served with the U. S. Army for one year and then joined the then U. S. Army Air Corps. In 1950, he received a commission in the USAF. In 1959, he was made Chief, Nuclear Safety Division, at Kirtland AFB, New Mexico. He retired from the Air Force in 1966. Doctor Lechausse was the speaker at the 1961 annual alumni scientific assembly at MCV.
1937 Eli A. Rosen (M) of Dalton, Georgia, died on October 22, 1972. Doctor Rosen was a general practitioner. He was president of the Whitfield Medical Society and president of the medical staff, Hamilton Memorial Hospital, in 1951.
1939 Nellie Hicks Gibson (N) of Richmond, Virginia, died on April 14.
1940 Robert James Scott (M) of Hampton, Virginia, died on March 26. Doctor Scott

was director of McGuire Veterans Administration Hospital, Richmond, from 1960 to 1968. He retired from his last assignment with the Veterans Administration in Hampton in 1972.

1942 Kenneth R. Arritt of Roanoke, Virginia, died on March 26. Mr. Arritt was a past president of the Valley Pharmaceutical Association and he was employed by Peoples Drug Stores.

Hiram Wilson Davis (M) of Merced, California, died on April 28. Doctor Davis moved to California in 1970. He was formerly commissioner of mental health and hospitals for Virginia. Prior to this he had been superintendent of Huntington State Hospital, Huntington, West Virginia. He was in private practice at the time of his death.

1946 James R. Gatherum (M) of Pocahontas, Virginia, died on February 9. He practiced at the McClung Clinic, Richwood, West Virginia, for seven years; in Athens, 15 years; and at Bluefield Sanatorium as house physician for 3 years. In November, 1972, he opened an office in Pocahontas.

Marca Isabel Taliaferro (M) of Richmond, Virginia, died on May 15. Doctor Taliaferro retired as assistant professor of medicine at MCV in 1969 and worked on the staff of Catawba Sanatorium for two years. She joined the faculty of MCV in 1948 and taught in the departments of medicine and pharmacology. She also established the first research laboratory in endocrinology there, where she developed assays for the measurement of adrenal steroids in body fluids.

1949 Frances Ruth Karnes (PT) of Los Cruces, New Mexico, died on December 9, 1971.

1951 Harold T. Turner (M) of Virginia Beach, Virginia, died on January 20. Doctor Turner practiced in Giles County until 1962 when he moved to Chesapeake, Virginia.

1953 Jean Fensom Ragsdale (M) of Greenwich, Connecticut, died on May 14. Doctor Ragsdale lived for a time in Japan where her husband's business carried him.

1959 Daniel Clinton Smith (M) of New Haven, Connecticut, died on March 10. Doctor Smith was an assistant clinical professor of psychiatry at Yale University where he did his residency and was assistant professor of psychiatry in the psychiatric outpatient clinic until 1966. He then entered private practice as a psychotherapist and a psychoanalyst. He graduated from Western New England Institute for Psychoanalysis last year.

'Round The Circuit

Roanoke Valley Chapter

Seated: Dr. and Mrs. James C. Garst, Dr. and Mrs. Earle W. Strickland, Mrs. William G. Eddins, Dr. Eddins, Mrs. James G. Williams, and Mr. Williams

On that snowy day, March 21, the Roanoke Valley Chapter met at Caesar's Club in Roanoke for dinner and dancing. Mr. James G. Williams, president, and Mrs. Elizabeth L. Wellford, secretary, planned this successful meeting. Dr. Earle W. Strickland, president of the Alumni Association of MCV, was present with a summarization of happenings at MCV and in the Association. Mrs. Strickland was with him. The officers elected were: president, Dr. James C. Garst (D'55); president-elect, Dr. Homer Bartley (M'36); and re-elected as secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Elizabeth L. Wellford (N'49).

Northern Virginia, Washington, Southern Maryland Chapter

The Northern Virginia, Washington, Southern Maryland Chapter met on April 19 at the Lazy Susan Inn, Woodbridge, Virginia. Dr. Richard C. Fisher, Jr., the then secretary, arranged the meeting with the help of the president, Dr. Clarence K. Glover, who presided at the meeting. Cocktails, dinner, and the musical "Pajama Game" made for a delightful evening. Dr. Earle W. Strickland, president of the Alumni Association of MCV, brought news of

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the College and the Association. Also present were the executive secretary, Miss Minnie M. Franck, and Mrs. Strickland. The new officers are Dr. Richard C. Fisher (D'53), president, and Dr. Dorman W. Fawley, Jr. (D'53), secretary-treasurer.

Richmond Chapter

The Richmond Chapter went to the races at Pimlico on May 9. It was a great group and the weather was perfect for a day at the track. Dr. Philip L. Minor, president of the Chapter, was the official host.

North Carolina Dental Chapter

The North Carolina dental alumni gathered for cocktails and dinner in the Crystal Room, The Carolina, Pinehurst, North Carolina, on May 14 during the meeting of the North Carolina Dental Association. Dr. C. Robert

Drs. Earle W. Strickland, Joseph R. Suggs, C. Robert Helsabeck, and Frank H. Walker.

Helsabeck, the president, presided over the meeting and Dr. Joseph R. Suggs was an excellent dispenser of refreshments. Dr. Earle W. Strickland, president of the Alumni Association of MCV, was there to bring the alumni up to date and the executive secretary, Minnie M. Franck, and Mrs. Strickland were also present. Dr. Frank H. Walker (D'44) was chosen the new president.

North Carolina Medical Chapter

The alumni who came to Pinehurst, North Carolina, for the meeting of the North Carolina Medical Association,

Mrs. Van W. Gunter, Dr. Gunter, Mrs. J. Lawrence Sippe.

Mrs. Lockert B. Mason and Dr. Mason.

Mrs. Charles B. Wilkerson, Jr., Dr. Charles Wilkerson, Dr. John A. Payne III, and Dr. and Mrs. Louis R. Wilkerson.

Dr. and Mrs. George M. Bullard, Mrs. Wiley H. Cozart, and Dr. Cozart.

Mrs. Louis R. Wilkerson, Dr. Thornton R. Cleek, and Miss Minnie M. Franck.

met for a social hour in the H.M.S. Bounty Room of The Carolina and enjoyed dinner in the London Grill on May 21, arranged by Dr. Lockert B. Mason, president. Dr. and Mrs. Earle W. Strickland, president, Alumni Association of MCV, and Miss Minnie M. Franck, were there to greet alumni. Those who will guide the chapter for the coming year are: Dr. George M. Bullard (M'50), president; Dr. Robert L. Gibson (M'52), vice president; and Dr. William H. Shaia (M'45), secretary-treasurer.

Valley Chapter

What a tremendous job Mr. Carl S. Napps, president, did in arranging the great evening for the meeting of the Valley Chapter on June 8 at Middletown, Virginia. The group met for dinner at the Wayside Inn and then went over to the Wayside Theater for "Butterflies are Free." This is such a lovely spot for a meeting and adds to

Dr. Earle W. Strickland and Mr. Carl S. Napps.

Mrs. W. David McWhorter, Mrs. Hunter M. Gaunt, Jr., and Dr. Gaunt.

everyone's enjoyment. Dr. Earle W. Strickland, president, his wife, and Miss Minnie M. Franck, executive secretary, were present. The officers of the chapter for the coming year are: Dr. Hunter M. Gaunt (M'57, P'53), president; Dr. W. David McWhorter (M'60), president-elect; and continuing as secretary, Mrs. Lillian F. Hoover (N'35).

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